UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Crim. No. 09-177 (DRD)

v. : Hon. Dickinson R. Debevoise

BARRY MAYO : <u>CONTINUANCE</u> ORDER

A criminal indictment charging the defendant with being a convicted felon in possession of a firearm, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1), having been returned on March 11, 2009; and the defendant having appeared before Magistrate Judge Esther Salas for an initial appearance on March 26, 2009; and the defendant being represented by Kevin Carlucci, Esq., Assistant Federal Public Defender; and the defendant having been arraigned by this Court on April 6, 2009, and the defendant and his counsel being aware that the defendant has the right to a trial within seventy (70) days of defendant's arraignment on this charge, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(b); and no continuances having previously been granted by the Court pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7)(A); the parties hereby request a continuance of sixty (60) days pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(7)(A) in order to permit the parties to engage in plea negotiations and try to resolve this matter without trial;

IT IS on this 17th day of April, 2009,

ORDERED that from the date this Order is entered, to and including June 6, 2009, shall be excluded in calculating the time

within which this case must go to trial under the Speedy Trial Act for the following reasons:

- 1. The defendant, through his counsel, has requested additional time so that the parties can attempt to resolve this matter through a plea agreement and thereby avoid a possible trial.
- 2. Pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 3161(h)(8)(A), the ends of justice served by granting the continuance outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

HONORABLE DICKINSON R. DEBEVOISE United States District Judge

SEEN AND AGREED:

Eric T. Kanefsky, Esq. Assistant U.S. Attorney

Kevin Carlucci, Esq., AFPD Counsel for Barry Mayo